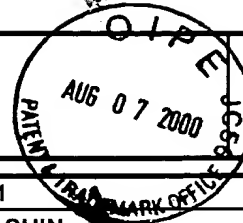


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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d)
(continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 09/039,438
filed on March 16, 1998 entitled Etching Apparatus

1. ☒ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed July 6, 2000 under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
2. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53(d)
 - a. ☐ DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:
 - b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
4. ☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.
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				TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS	\$690.00
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6. Small Entity Status:
 - a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.
 - b. ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
 - c. ☐ Is no longer claimed.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0911.

☒ If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time in the parent case. Any fees required for such an extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0911.
8. ☒ A check in the amount of \$690.00 is enclosed.
9. ☒ Other: Request for Extension of Time

Respectfully submitted,

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